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ETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)			Docket Number (Optional) FA0972 USNA
	In re Application of Decker et al.		
	Application Number	09/717,413 F	Filed November 21, 2000
	For Low Gloss Powder Coatings		
	Group Art Unit 1714	Examiner Callie E. Shosho	
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.			
The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):			
One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))			\$ <u>110.00</u>
Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))			\$ <u>410.00</u>
☐ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))			\$ <u>930.00</u>
Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))			\$ <u>1450.00</u>
☐ Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$1970.00 ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown			\$ <u>1970.00</u>
<ul> <li>□ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.</li> <li>□ The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.</li> <li>□ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 04-1928.</li> <li>□ I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.</li> <li>□ am the □ applicant/inventor.</li> <li>□ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71</li> </ul>			
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).			
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attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).  Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a)			
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